

PAUPER LUNATIC ASYLUM

FOR THE

COUNTY OF NORTHUMBERLAND.

REPORTS AND ACCOUNTS

FOR 1866.



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County of
Northumberland. }



1867.

At the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace of our Lady the Queen, held at Morpeth, in and for the said County, on the Tenth day of April, in the Thirtieth Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lady Victoria, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, before Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace, assigned to keep the Peace in the said County.

PAUPER LUNATIC ASYLUM—ANNUAL REPORTS AND ACCOUNTS.

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By the Court,

DICKSON.

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FOR 1866.

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REPORT OF THE VISITORS TO THE QUARTER SESSIONS.

NORTHUMBERLAND.

To Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace in Quarter Sessions assembled.

16 & 17 Vic.,
c. 97, sec. 62.

THIS is the period when your Committee is required to lay their Annual Report before you under the 62nd section of the Act.

1. The Asylum is in an efficient state and condition, and provides for the accommodation of the Officers and Inmates in a satisfactory manner, as far as relates to the present numbers, but it requires to be enlarged.

2. The numbers are upon the increase—in our last year's Report (18th December, 1865) there were 139 Males and 138 Females, and on this day (17th December, 1866) there are 142 Males and 144 Females, and 15 applications have been refused for want of Room.

3. Your Committee are satisfied with the management of the Asylum, and with the conduct of the Officers and Servants, except in relation to certain charges of inattention by the Medical Officers when Cholera for a short time existed in the Asylum.

Upon this subject your Committee have to state that, in the latter part of October, this disease made its appearance in the House.

George Trueman, attacked 28th October, at 9 a.m., and died at 3 a.m. on the following day.

Margaret Daglish, attacked 2nd November, at 5 a.m., and died same day at 6.35 p.m.

Mary Ann Hall, attacked 3rd November, at 9 a.m., and died next day at 12.30 a.m.

Ralph Havis, was attacked on 4th November, at 1 a.m., and died at 7.45 p.m. on the same day.

There were no other cases, and the Asylum has been free from this complaint ever since. Your Committee had the disagreeable duty to perform of investigating the above charges, particularly with reference to the case of Ralph Havis, which

ended in the resignation of Mr. Hughes, the Assistant Medical Officer, and in censuring Mr. Wilson, the Medical Superintendent. The whole matter was from time to time communicated to the Commissioners in Lunacy, and your Committee are happy to be able to state that the decisions they have come to, met with the entire approval of the Commissioners.

Your Committee have caused the Rules to be made more stringent, and hope such inattention will not occur again.

4. Your Committee, upon the resignation of Mr. Hughes, called in Mr. Shute as a temporary substitute, intending to have advertised for a successor, but, finding that Mr. Shute was an old Medical Practitioner in Morpeth, and that he had previously acted in this Asylum during the absence of the Superintendent on account of his health, and at one time for 6 weeks together—that he had always taken a great interest in the Asylum, and had given every satisfaction since Mr. Hughes left, your Committee offered him the vacant situation, which he has accepted.

5. The cost of maintenance is the same as last year, (viz.)—9s. 11d. per head per week; your Committee do not propose to raise it, although the cost has a little exceeded that sum, but they will reconsider the subject at the end of the half-year.

6. The Commissioners in Lunacy visited the Asylum on the 16th March, 1866, and made several suggestions, and reported most favourably of the cleanliness and good order of the several Wards, Rooms, Beds, and Bedding, and they also bore testimony to the general quiet and orderly demeanour and satisfactory personal condition of the Patients of both sexes.

7. Your Committee, under the Special Reports made to your Bench, and approved by the Commissioners, are now taking steps to carry out the plans for increasing the Asylum, so as to accommodate the increased number of 65 Males and 65 Females, with the sanction of the Secretary of State. The new Buildings will be begun as soon as the winter months are over.

8. Your Committee beg to mention that not less than 7 Members of the Bench must be elected Visitors for the next year—the present Committee may be re-elected.

M. W. RIDLEY,
Chairman.

ASYLUM, 17th December 1866.

CONFIRMATION OF COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

County of
Northumberland.



1867.

At the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace of our Lady the Queen, held at the Moot Hall, in and for the said County, on the Second day of January, in the Thirtieth Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lady Victoria, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, before Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace, assigned to keep the Peace in the said County, and also to hear and determine divers Felonies, Trespases, and other Misdemeanors, done and committed therein.

PAUPER LUNATIC ASYLUM, (Annual Report and Election of Visitors).

The Visitors of the Pauper Lunatic Asylum for this County having presented their Annual Report, according to the Statute (16 & 17 Victoria, cap. 97, sec. 62), which was read and considered; Ordered that the same be and it is hereby approved of, and that it be entered upon the Records of this Court immediately after this Order, and it is further Ordered, pursuant to the Statute (16 & 17 Victoria, cap. 97, sec. 22), that the following Justices of the Peace for this County be, and they are hereby appointed Visitors of this Asylum for the year ensuing, namely:—

1. SIR CHARLES MILES LAMBERT MONCK, BARONET.
2. ADDISON JOHN BAKER CRESSWELL, ESQUIRE.
3. RALPH CARR, ESQUIRE.
4. THOMAS ANDERSON, ESQUIRE.
5. SIR MATTHEW WHITE RIDLEY, BARONET.
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17. ARTHUR EDWARD MONCK, ESQUIRE.

By the Court,

DICKSON.

SUPERINTENDENT'S ANNUAL REPORT.

NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY ASYLUM,
COTTINGWOOD, MORPETH, *February 22nd, 1867.*

GENTLEMEN,

I beg respectfully to present to you the Annual Report of this Asylum for the past year, along with Statistical Tables respecting the Patients, and the changes which have occurred.

Several of the Tables have been adopted for the first time, while others have been considerably modified, in accordance with a recommendation of the Commissioners in Lunacy, who, in their Report, under the head of Medical Statistics, call attention to the importance of adopting an uniform system of Statistical Tables and Registers, so as to include some of the more important particulars required, in order to obtain correct Statistics of Insanity. They then proceed to state that "they trust, with the view of facilitating statistical comparison, the Visitors and Superintendents of all Institutions for the Insane will not object to adopt the Forms of Tables recommended." A description, copied from their Report, is given along with them in the Appendix.

The number of Patients remaining in the Asylum on the first of January, 1866, was 275, viz.—137 men and 138 women.

The number admitted during the year was 55, (23 men and 32 women), making a total under treatment of 330. The number of re-admissions of Patients, some after a long interval of time, amounted to 8, viz.—1 male and 7 females. A list of all the Patients re-admitted since the opening of the Asylum will be found in Table 2 in the Appendix.

The changes have been as follows:—6 men and 14 women, total 20, have been discharged, recovered; and 28 (13 men and 15 women) have died, leaving in the Asylum on the first of January, 1867, 282, viz.—141 men and 141 women. The daily average number resident during the year was 284, 142 of each sex.

The subjoined Table, as supplied to the Commissioners in Lunacy, gives more detailed particulars respecting the Patients remaining in the Asylum at the commencement of the year.

Number of Patients 1st January, 1866.			Admissions during the year 1866.			Discharged during the year 1866.						Deaths during the year 1866.								
						Total Number.			Number Recovered.			Total Number.			From Suicide.					
															Act committed in Asylum.			Act committed before admission		
M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
137	138	275	23	32	55	6	14	20	6	14	20	13	15	28	..	..	..	..	..	..
PATIENTS REMAINING 1st JANUARY, 1867.																				
Total Lunatics.			Number deemed Curable.			Found Lunatic by Inquisition.			(a) Criminals.			(b) Chargeable to County.			Average Number resident during the year 1866.					
															M	F	T	M	F	T
M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
141	141	282	64	86	150	..	..	..	3	1	4	17	9	26	142	142	284			

(a)—Patients confined under Secretary of State's Warrant.

(b)—Pauper Patients, whose settlements cannot be ascertained.

The Admissions were few in number compared with previous years from several cases having to be refused admission, consequent upon the full state of the Asylum. Those also that were admitted did not hold out much hope of cure; the more recent cases, for which application had at first been made, having in many instances so far recovered in the Workhouses, as to prevent the necessity of their being sent to the Asylum, when it chanced there was room; whilst others were often sent instead, troublesome perhaps, but hopeless, among which number I may mention that 4 were epileptic, 1 idiotic, and 3 paralysed. It is also to the more recent admissions and cases that we chiefly look for recoveries, and the reasons stated will account in a great measure for the comparatively small number of Patients who have been able to be discharged recovered, being only 34 per cent. as compared with 47 per cent. the previous year.

In the tabular statement given respecting the Patients remaining in the Asylum at the commencement of the year, one of the columns is devoted to the number deemed curable, which includes all those for whom there is the slightest hope, however doubtful their recovery may be; and this year the Commissioners in Lunacy have required to be furnished with a return of the number of Chronic and Probably Incurable cases, also; classified, as will be seen by the Table appended, under different heads, and supplying a detailed account of those for whom we can hold out no hope of recovery whatever.

Return as to the Mental Condition, &c., of Pauper Patients in the Asylum
on January 1st, 1867.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Probably Curable , , , , ,	64	86	150
„ Incurable , , , , ,	77	55	132
Total ; , ,	141	141	282

Description of Chronic and Probably Incurable Cases.

Mental Condition.	Excitable, Violent, or Dangerous.						Quiet and Harmless.					
	Total.			Of whom Epileptic.			Total.			Of whom Epileptic.		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Idiot or Imbecile from birth or infancy	3	1	4	1	1	2	5	1	6	1	..	1
Imbecile or Demented, and not included in above , , }	21	8	29	6	3	9	22	22	44	..	1	1
Other forms of Mental Unsoundness ,	18	18	36	7	2	9	8	5	13	..	..	..
Total , ,	42	27	69	14	6	20	35	28	63	1	1	2

Of the above 11 Males and 2 Females are affected with general paralysis.

Of the admissions during the past year, nineteen were reported as suicidal, and several of the Patients were received in an extremely weak state of health. For detailed particulars respecting them—the form of Insanity and its complications—I beg to refer you to Table 8 in the Appendix.

The deaths were one less than in the previous year, though predominating greatly over the recoveries. The chief causes have been General Paralysis and Pulmonary Consumption, nine being attributable to the former, and six to the latter. There is one special cause however to which it is necessary for me particularly to allude, the epidemic which has lately visited us, by the sudden outbreak of Asiatic Cholera towards the close of the year, and which from the crowded state of the Asylum, and the class of people to be dealt with, caused much anxiety, more especially from the want of any suitable detached building for the immediate isolation and treatment of such or any similar cases of infectious disease, and I would respectfully suggest to the Committee that during the present enlargement of the Asylum, they would take into their consideration the propriety of erecting a small detached building for the purpose of a Hospital upon a simple cottage plan, where sick Patients could be comfortably and suitably tended, as well as isolated from the rest of the inmates. With respect to the Cholera cases, I refer to your Annual Report (as Visitors) to the Bench.

I can only regret that the Committee should have had any occasion to find fault with the Medical Officers, but I trust that they will not be again troubled as to matters of this kind. One inquest was held during the year, in the case of a female epileptic who was found dead in bed.

The employment of the Patients has continued to be an important element of treatment, and the most part of the men have been occupied as usual in the cultivation of the farm lands, and laying out and keeping in order the grounds generally. From the agricultural nature of the County, the male Patients are chiefly labourers, very few of the class of artisans being admitted.

We are able however to employ some in assisting in the Workshops under the direction of the tradesmen Attendants. A new Sewing Machine has been lately obtained for the Tailor's Shop, which I expect will prove of much benefit to the Institution. The women have also been industriously occupied in their different departments, and a statement of the amount of work done in the Sewing Room during the year is given at the end of this Report.

The means of recreation have continued much as in previous years. The ball is kept up weekly, with an occasional exhibition of the Magic Lantern, and in the summer a pic-nic to the sea-side, croquet, and other outdoor amusements are added.

Among the alterations and improvements during the past year, I may mention that the windows in the Sewing and Recreation Room have been considerably lowered, and give a much more cheerful aspect to the place. The urinals in the Lavatories on the male side, which were very unsightly and objectionable, have been taken away, their place being supplied, in some instances, by others of different construction and more suitably situated. A new Heating Apparatus by means of flues, in lieu of the former one by hot water pipes, (and from which we suffered much inconvenience,) has been fitted up in the Drying-Closet in the Laundry, and promises to answer effectually. Gill-stoves have also been provided for the Bath-rooms in both divisions.

The Commissioners in Lunacy visited the Asylum in March last, and left the following Report :—

“NORTHUMBERLAND ASYLUM,
16th *March*, 1866.

“The changes in the Patients since the last Commissioners’ visit, 17th February, 1865, and the present numbers of Patients, all of whom we have seen, are shewn by the following Tabular Statement :—

	M.	F.	Total.
Admitted , , , , ,	40	49	89
Discharged, all recovered , , , , ,	18	21	39
Died , , , , ,	14	15	29
Present Numbers , , , , ,	142	139	281

“With the exception of a case of suicide by strangulation, in the Male Division the particulars of which were duly reported, the Deaths have been from ordinary causes.

“The Sanitary condition of the Asylum appears to be good, the Patients registered as under medical treatment for bodily ailments being only five in each Division.

“According to the Medical Journal, since last visit, 17 Male and 21 Female Patients have been placed in seclusion, the former altogether on 86, and the latter on 130 occasions.

“The Records of employment shew that about 80 men and 120 women are usefully occupied. Of the former about 30 are employed in agricultural labour and 10 as artisans, and of the latter, about 35 are engaged in needle-work and knitting, and 25 in the Laundry department.

“The Male Patients are under the immediate charge of a Head and 14 ordinary Attendants, assisted by the Plumber and Joiner, and the Female Patients of a Head and 10 ordinary Attendants, including 2 Laundry-maids.

“The Wages, which are advanced from time to time, according to conduct and efficiency, commence on the male side at £25, and on the female at £15. The former advance to £32. The Head Male Attendant receives £35.

“The Chapel attendance on Sundays averages 70 in the Male Division, and 90 in the Female, most of the number being present both morning and afternoon. There has not, as yet, been any arrangement made for Divine Service on week days.

“We have to report most favourably of the general quiet and orderly demeanour, and satisfactory personal condition of the Patients of both sexes, and the cleanliness and good order of the several wards and rooms, beds, and bedding.

“ The old female Sewing-room has been converted into a Dormitory, and the Recreation-room, formerly the Chapel, is now applied also to the purposes of a Work-room. The windows of the latter are about to be lowered, as suggested at the last visit.

“The Male Division of the Asylum is now full, and on the Female side there are only six vacant beds.

“Plans are in preparation, (the necessary funds having been voted by the Justices in Quarter Session), by which additional accommodation will be provided to the extent of 59 beds in each division. The Plans will also embrace a new range of Workshops, new Dining-rooms and Offices.

“ We trust that the present great deficiency of adequate Store-rooms will also be supplied.

" A third Summer-house has been erected in No. 3 Male Airing Court.

“We desire to draw the special attention of the Visitors to the defective, indeed almost wholly useless state of the Drying Closet, the temperature of the air in which cannot, in general, be raised above 70°.

“The means of warming the Chapel also have hitherto wholly failed, a matter which ought at once to receive attention.

“We have only in conclusion to repeat the recommendations contained in the last Report, so far as the same have not been carried out.

"In Dr. Wilson's temporary absence, we received every information and assistance from Mr. Hughes, who appears to be very active and efficient.

R. W. S. LUTWIDGE, } *Commissioners*
ROBERT NAIRNE, } *in*
 } *Lunacy."*

In consequence of the dearness of Provisions, the cost per head per week during the year has been 10s. 2½d.

I have the honour to remain,

GENTLEMEN,

Your most obedient Servant,

RICHARD WILSON.

*The Committee of Visitors,
County Lunatic Asylum,
Cottingwood, Morpeth.*

STATISTICAL TABLES, 1866.

TABLE 1.

Showing the Admissions, Re-admissions, Discharges, and Deaths during the Year 1866.

	M.	F.	Total.
In the Asylum, January 1st, 1866	137	138	275
Admitted for the first time during the year	22	25	47
Re-admitted during the year	1	7	8
	23	32	55
Total under care during the year	160	170	330
Discharged or removed—			
Recovered	6	14	20
Relieved	..	..	..
Not improved	..	..	..
Died	13	15	28
Total discharged and died during the year	19	29	48
Remaining in the Asylum, 31st December, 1866 (inclusive of absent on trial—males and females)	141	141	282
Average numbers resident during the year	142	142	284

TABLE 2.

Showing the Admissions, Re-admissions, Discharges, and Deaths, from the Opening of the Asylum to the present date, December 31st, 1866.

	M.	F.	Total.
Persons admitted during the period of 8 years	306	313	619
Re-admissions	27	24	51
Total of cases admitted	333	337	670
Discharged or Removed—			
Recovered	105	120	225
Relieved	11	7	18
Not improved	4	1	5
Died	72	68	140
Total discharged and died during the 8 years	192	196	388
Remaining 31st December, 1866	141	141	282
Average numbers resident during the 8 years	106	101	207

TABLE 3.

Showing the Admissions, Discharges, and Deaths; with the mean Annual Mortality and proportion of Recoveries per cent. of the Admissions, for each Year since the Opening of the Asylum.

YEARS.	Admitted.			Discharged.								Died.			Remaining 31st December in each year.			Average Numbers Resident.			Per-centage of Recoveries on Admissions.			Per-centage of Deaths on Average Numbers Resident.			
				Recovered.				Relieved.																			Not improved.
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
From the opening of the Asylum to 31st December, 1859 , ,	81	73	154	7	7	14	1	..	1	..	..	6	3	9	67	63	130	57	50	107	8.6	9.6	9.	10.5	6	8
1860 , , ,	41	33	74	15	11	26	1	..	1	..	..	7	8	15	84	77	161	74	69	143	36.6	33	34	9.4	11.5	10.5
1861 , , ,	31	45	76	9	14	23	4	1	5	1	..	6	5	11	96	102	198	93	92	185	29	31	30	6.4	5.4	6	
1862 , , ,	44	36	80	15	18	33	4	5	9	..	..	8	6	14	113	109	222	106	104	210	34	50	42	7.5	5.7	6.6
1863 , , ,	40	32	72	23	21	44	3	1	4	1	..	7	10	17	119	109	228	115	107	222	57.5	65.6	60	6	9.3	7.6	
1864 , , ,	35	37	72	11	13	24	..	1	1	..	..	10	7	17	133	125	258	128	115	243	31.4	35	33.2	7.8	6	7
1865 , , ,	38	49	87	19	22	41	..	..	..	..	..	15	14	29	137	138	275	137	129	266	50	45	47	10.9	10.8	10.9
1866 , , ,	23	32	55	6	14	20	..	..	..	..	..	13	15	28	141	141	282	142	142	284	26	43.7	34.8	9.1	10.5	9.8
TOTALS(8 years)and Averages	333	337	670	105	120	225	13	8	21	2	..	72	68	140	..	..	..	106	101	207	34	36	35	8.4	8	8.2

TABLE 4.

Showing the History of the Annual Admissions since the Opening of the Asylum, with the Discharges and Deaths, and the Numbers of each Year remaining on the 31st December, 1866.

Admitted.				Of each Year's Discharged and Died in 1866.								Total Discharged and Died of each Year's Admissions.								Remaining of each Year's Admissions, 31st December, 1866.							
YEAR.	New Cases.		Relapsed Cases.		Recovered.		Relieved.		Not improved.		Died.		Recovered.		Relieved.		Not improved.		Died.		M.	F.	Total.				
	M. F.	M. F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.				Total.			
1859	80	72	1	1	154	2	2	17	14	31	5	1	6	1	..	1	17	24	41	41	34	75
1860	39	31	2	2	74	..	..	..	3	1	4	12	12	24	2	1	3	..	..	..	10	6	16	17	14	31
1861	28	43	3	2	76	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	22	33	2	3	5	1	..	1	9	6	15	8	14	22
1862	41	34	3	2	80	..	..	..	2	2	4	20	16	36	2	2	4	..	..	..	11	6	17	11	12	23
1863	33	28	7	4	72	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	18	36	2	1	3	..	..	..	8	5	13	13	7	20
1864	31	34	4	3	72	..	..	..	..	..	3	14	14	28	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	8	15	14	15	29
1865	32	46	6	3	87	3	7	10	..	..	8	10	17	27	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	7	16	19	25	44
1866	22	25	1	7	55	3	7	10	..	..	7	3	7	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	5	7	18	20	38
TOTAL	306	313	27	24	670	6	14	20	13	15	28	105	120	225	13	8	21	2	..	73	67	140	141	141	282

TABLE 5.

Showing the Causes of Death during the Year 1866.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	M.	F.	Total.
CEREBRAL OR SPINAL DISEASES:			
Apoplexy and Paralysis , , ,	1	1	2
Epilepsy and Convulsions , , ,	..	2	2
General Paralysis , , ,	5	3	8
Maniacal and Melancholic Exhaustion or Decay ,	..	2	2
Inflammation and other Diseases of the Brain, Softening Tumours, &c. , , }	..	..	..
THORACIC DISEASE:			
Inflammation of the Lungs, Pleuræ, and Bronchi ,	1	..	1
Pulmonary Consumption , , ,	4	2	6
Disease of the Heart, &c. , , ,	..	2	2
ABDOMINAL DISEASE:			
Inflammation of the Stomach, Intestines, or Peritoneum , , , }	..	..	..
Dysentery and Diarrhœa , , ,	..	..	..
Asiatic Cholera , , , ,	2	2	4
Fever , , , ,	..	..	..
Erysipelas , , , ,	..	1	1
Cancer , , , ,	..	..	..
General Debility and Old Age , , ,	..	..	..
Suicide and Accidents , , ,	..	..	..
TOTAL , , ,	13	15	28

TABLE 6.

Showing the Length of Residence in those Discharged Recovered,
and in those who have Died during the Year.

Length of Residence.	Recovered.			Died.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
Under 1 Month , , ,	..	..	..	..	2	2
From 1 to 3 Months , , ,	..	5	5	..	1	1
„ 3 „ 6 „ , , ,	2	4	6	3	2	5
„ 6 „ 9 „ , , ,	2	3	5	..	2	2
„ 9 „ 12 „ , , ,	1	1	2	2	..	2
„ 1 „ 2 Years , , ,	1	1	2	3	1	4
„ 2 „ 3 „ , , ,	..	..	..	..	2	2
„ 3 „ 5 „ , , ,	..	..	..	2	2	4
„ 5 „ 7 „ , , ,	..	..	..	3	2	5
„ 7 „ 10 „ , , ,	..	..	..	..	1	1
TOTAL , , ,	6	14	20	13	15	28

TABLE 7.

Admissions with respect to Age,
1866.

	M.	F.	Total.
Under 15 Years , , ,	..	1	1
From 15 to 20 Years , , ,	3	..	3
„ 20 to 30 „ , , ,	6	9	15
„ 30 to 40 „ , , ,	4	5	9
„ 40 to 50 „ , , ,	7	8	15
„ 50 to 60 „ , , ,	3	3	6
„ 60 to 70 „ , , ,	..	5	5
„ 70 to 80 „ , , ,	..	1	1
„ 80 to 90 „ , , ,	..	..	..
Unknown , , ,	..	..	..
TOTAL , , ,	23	32	55

TABLE 8.

Admissions with respect to the Form of Insanity,
1866.

			Combined with General Paralysis.		Combined with Epilepsy.		Disposed to Suicide.		Total.		General Total.
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	
Mania , , ,	12	15	..	1	1	..	5	3	13	16	29
„ Puerperal , , ,	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	4	4
Monomania , , ,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Melancholia , , ,	5	8	2	..	..	1	4	6	7	9	16
Dementia , , ,	1	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	3	2	5
Amentia , , ,	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
TOTAL , , ,	18	30	2	1	3	1	9	10	23	32	55

TABLE 9.

Duration of Insanity (previous to admission) of Patients admitted during each Year since the Opening of the Asylum.

	1859.			1860.			1861.			1862.			1863.			1864.			1865.			1866.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
1 Week and under 2 ,	3	4	7	10	4	14	5	11	16	10	5	15	8	10	18	11	8	19	9	12	21	4	6	10
2 ,, 4 ,	6	6	12	7	5	12	10	6	16	8	5	13	6	5	11	6	3	9	1	7	8	3	6	9
1 Month and under 2 ,	5	6	11	3	7	10	2	11	13	4	6	10	4	2	6	3	6	9	7	3	10	1	2	3
2 ,, 3 ,	6	2	8	2	1	3	1	2	3	4	4	8	1	5	6	1	3	4	1	4	5	1	1	2
3 ,, 6 ,	1	3	4	4	1	5	4	5	9	4	5	9	3	2	5	5	4	9	4	5	9	3	4	7
6 ,, 12 ,	4	3	7	1	5	6	4	1	5	4	4	8	3	3	6	3	3	6	3	7	10	3	7	10
1 Year and under 3 ,	6	8	14	1	3	4	1	2	3	2	2	4	5	1	6	4	2	6	3	4	7	..	1	1
3 ,, 5 ,	2	1	3	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	3	3	..	..	..	..	1	1	3	1	4	..	..	..
5 ,, 10 ,	1	..	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	2	1	3	..	3	3	..	1	1	1	1	2
10 ,, 15 ,	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
15 ,, 20 ,	2	..	2	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	1
20 ,, 30 ,	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
30 ,, 40 ,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Unknown ,	40	40	80	10	4	14	2	5	7	6	1	7	6	2	8	1	1	2	6	5	11	5	3	8
From Birth ,	3	..	3	..	1	1	1	1	2	1	..	1	2	..	2	..	1	1	1	..	1	1	1	2
TOTAL ,	81	73	154	41	33	74	31	45	76	44	36	80	40	32	72	35	37	72	38	49	87	23	32	55

TABLE 10.

Admissions with respect to Previous Occupation,
1866.

MEN.			
	No.		No.
Agricultural Labourers ,	6	Puddler at Iron Works ,	1
Farmers ,	2	Sawyer ,	1
Clerks ,	3	Stonemason ,	1
Bricklayer ,	1	Sailor ,	1
Steam-boatman ,	1	Musician ,	1
Tailor ,	1	None ,	2
Master Mariner ,	1		
Miner ,	1	TOTAL	23
WOMEN.			
	No.		No.
Household Duties ,	21	Net-weaver ,	1
Domestic Servants ,	3	Shopkeeper ,	1
Farm Servants ,	2	None ,	2
Dress-maker ,	1		
Innkeeper ,	1	TOTAL	32

TABLE 11.

Admissions with respect to Religious Persuasion,
1866.

	M.	F.	Total.
Church of England ,	9	17	26
Presbyterians ,	8	3	11
Wesleyan Methodists ,	1	6	7
Roman Catholics ,	4	3	7
Unknown ,	1	2	3
None (Idiot) ,	..	1	1
TOTAL ,	23	32	55

TABLE 12.

Admissions with respect to Social State,
1866.

	M.	F.	Total.
Single , , , ,	13	9	22
Married , , , ,	8	20	28
Widowed , , , ,	2	3	5
Unknown , , , ,	..	..	..
TOTAL , , , ,	23	32	55

TABLE 13.

Admissions with respect to the Cause of Insanity,
1866.

MEN.			
	No.		No.
Fever , , , ,	1	Imprisonment for Debt , , , ,	1
Hereditary Tendency , , , ,	1	Unknown , , , ,	18
Nervous Debility , , , ,	1	TOTAL , , , ,	23
Failure of Crops on Farm , , , ,	1		
WOMEN.			
	No.		No.
Childbirth , , , ,	4	General Debility after Nursing , , , ,	1
Fever , , , ,	1	Unknown , , , ,	22
Grief from overlaying child , , , ,	1	From Birth , , , ,	1
Religious Excitement , , , ,	1	TOTAL , , , ,	32
Hereditary Tendency , , , ,	1		

TABLE 14.

Admissions with respect to Sex and Season,
1866.

	M.	F.	Total.	Quarterly Total.
January , , , ,	4	3	7	15
February , , , ,	1	2	3	
March , , , ,	2	3	5	
April , , , ,	3	3	6	
May , , , ,	3	1	4	17
June , , , ,	1	6	7	
July , , , ,	1	6	7	
August , , , ,	1	2	3	
September , , , ,	1	2	3	13
October , , , ,	2	1	3	
November , , , ,	3	2	5	
December , , , ,	1	1	2	
TOTAL , , , ,	23	32	55	55

TABLE 15.

Cures with respect to the Form of Insanity,
1866.

	M.	F.	Total.
Mania , , , ,	4	6	10
Do. Puerperal , , , ,	..	2	2
Monomania , , , ,	..	..	..
Melancholia , , , ,	2	5	7
Dementia , , , ,	..	1	1
TOTAL , , , ,	6	14	20

TABLE 16.

Extract from the Daily Account of the State of the Patients.

MEN.

EMPLOYED.	July, 1866.					
	Friday, 20th.		Saturday 21st.		Sunday, 22nd.	
	Morn.	After.	Morn.	After.	Morn.	After.
Working in Land and Gardens ,	36	38	30	14	..	..
Assisting Joiner, , ,	..	..	..	..	..	..
„ Engineer , ,	..	..	..	..	..	..
„ Plumber and Painter ,	1	1	1	1	..	..
„ Upholsterer ,	1	15	12	24	..	..
„ Shoemaker , ,	1	1	1	1	..	..
„ Tailor , ,	4	4	4	4	..	..
„ in Kitchen , ,	2	2	2	2	..	..
„ Baker , ,	2	2	2	2	..	..
„ Stonemason , ,	..	..	..	..	..	..
„ Brewer , ,	1	1	1	..	..	..
„ Office . , ,	..	..	..	..	..	..
„ Carrying Coals , ,	1	1	1	1	..	..
„ Cleaning Wards , ,	25	15	25	17	..	..
Total Employed , ,	74	80	79	66	..	..
UNEMPLOYED.						
Excitement with Restraint , ,	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. with Seclusion , ,	..	1	..	..	..	..
Do. without Seclusion , ,	..	..	1	1	1	1
Sick , , ,	2	2	2	2	2	2
Quiet , , ,	67	60	61	74	140	140
Total Unemployed , ,	69	63	64	77	143	143
Admissions , , ,	..	..	..	..	..	..
Deaths and Discharges , , ,	..	..	..	..	..	..
Absent , , ,	..	..	..	..	..	..
TOTAL , , ,	143	143	143	143	143	143
At Church , , ,					75	73

TABLE 16. (Continued).

Extract from the Daily Account of the State of the Patients.

WOMEN.

EMPLOYED.	July, 1866.					
	Friday, 20th.		Saturday 21st.		Sunday, 22nd.	
	Morn.	After.	Morn.	After.	Morn.	After.
Cleaning Wards , , ,	24	12	25	13	10	6
Assisting in the Kitchen , ,	5	3	6	5	4	1
„ in the Laundry , ,	26	26	26	26	..	..
Making Men's Clothing , ,	..	..	..	..	..	..
Binding Boots and Shoes , ,	..	..	..	..	..	..
Making Hats and Bonnets , ,	1	1	1	3	..	..
Mending Stockings , ,	13	14	8	9	..	..
Knitting and Netting , ,	10	12	13	12	..	..
Sewing and Quilting , ,	30	38	41	25	..	..
Garden , , ,	..	..	..	..	..	..
Picking Flocks , , ,	..	..	..	..	..	..
Fancy Work , , ,	..	..	..	..	..	..
Making Hay , , ,	12	16	..	..	..	..
Total Employed , , ,	121	122	120	93	14	7
UNEMPLOYED.						
Excitement with Restraint , ,	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. with Seclusion , ,	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. without Seclusion , ,	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sick , , ,	1	1	1	1	1	1
Quiet , , ,	22	21	23	50	129	136
Total Unemployed , , ,	23	22	24	51	130	137
Admissions , , ,	..	..	..	..	..	..
Deaths and Discharges , , ,	..	..	..	..	..	..
Absent , , ,	..	..	..	..	..	..
TOTAL , , ,	144	144	144	144	144	144
At Church , , ,					75	73

List of Articles of Clothing, &c.,

MADE AND REPAIRED DURING THE YEAR 1866.

	Made.	Repaired.		Made.	Repaired.
Boots and Shoes (Leather)	186	582	Stockings	204	5402
Suits of Clothes for Male Attendants	14	3	" (Footed)	..	231
Caps do.	14	..	Stays	..	45
Jackets for Patients	81	703	Calico Drawers	5	..
Waistcoats do.	82	552	Boots and Shoes Bound	..	60
Trousers do.	114	1078	Blinds	17	12
Men's Caps	129	50	Pillow Cases	351	320
" Strong Dresses	2	6	Sheets	26	237
" Strong Shirts	6	..	" (Hemmed)	345	..
" " Gloves	24	28	Bolster Cases	8	..
Flannel Drawers	38	..	Pillow Ticks	26	..
" Shirts	54	530	Rugs	..	16
Braces	117	..	Blankets	..	74
Trusses	6	..	Bath Sheets	..	12
Dresses for Female Attendants	12	..	Draperies	47	76
Jackets (Print)	4	..	Carpets	15	33
Dresses (Print)	22	174	Table Cloths	7	..
" (Winsey)	19	..	Sofa Covers	1	12
Calico Chemises	338	2465	Chair Cushions	16	..
Flannel do.	155	445	" Covers	18	..
Calico Shirts	315	3002	Antimacassars	14	..
Flannel Petticoats	119	104	Window Curtains	4	..
Lincy do.	143	504	Bed Ticks	86	..
" Jackets	132	406	Hassocks	24	..
Day Caps	183	245	Pin Cushions and Covers	12	..
Aprons	369	3203	Toilet Covers	29	..
Men's Aprons	23	..	Bed Hangings	1	..
Handkerchiefs (Hemmed)	288	..	Window Pads	6	..
Neckerchiefs do.	576	..	Door Pads	8	..
Print Bonnets	34	350	Mops	6	..
Boddices	54	68	Covered Seats in Ball Room	6	..
Towels	39	89	Dish Cloths	70	..
Dinner Napkins	6	..	Dusters	36	..
Bonnets (Trimmed)	72	..			

List of Work done by Patients and Attendants

As Mechanics, Joiners, Plumbers, Blacksmiths, and Painters, during the Year 1866.

MAKING.	MAKING.	REPAIRING.
3 Fire Boards.	1 Cupboard—No. 1 Female Ward.	144 Chairs, 7 Tables, 18 Wheelbarrows, 2 Doors,
2 Towel Rollers.	1 Bracket for Bird Cage—No. 1 Male Ward.	1 Night Commode, 2 Windows, Bread Machine, 1 Sofa, Skirting Board in Sewing Room,
1 Cupboard, No. 1 Male Scullery.	1 do. for Ship—do. do.	2 Stretcher Frames, Skirting Board in No. 1
6 Sick Diet Boards.	6 Ottomans for Work Room.	Female Ward, Floor in Bath Room No. 1
1 Door—Sewing Room.	2 Trays for Bake House.	Male Ward, Floor in Bath Room No. 2 Male
3 Door Frames.	6 Kneeling Boards for Wards.	Ward, Floor in Superintendent's House,
1 Wooden Bedstead.	2 Brackets for House Surgeon.	keeping in good order Stop Cocks, Pipes for
3 Do. Stretchers.	1 Cap Stand for Laundry.	Water and Steam supply, the entire Gas
1 Do. Cover for Water Cistern.	13 Clothes Pins for Attendants' Rooms.	Fitting, Locks and Keys, Lavatories, Pantries
12 Handles for Stone Hammers.	10 Wheelbarrows.	and Water Closets, &c.
1 Trap Door.	2 Polls for Stretcher.	
24 Broom Handles.	6 Brackets for Water Filters.	
6 Wash-hand Stands.	1 Platform for Coir Room.	
1 Wooden Tray.	1 Large Table for Work Room.	
16 Handles for Croquet Mallets.	1 Wooden Sink for Surgery.	
1 Dove Cot.	Shelving for do.	
1 Table for No. 1 Female Ward.	1 Stand for Wash Basin, do.	
6 Flower Stands for Wards.	1 Bracket for Water Filter, do.	
11 Yards Shelving in Laundry.	1 Tree Stand in No. 1 Male Ward.	
6 Forms with Backs—Sewing Room.	1 Shelf—Shoemaker's Shop.	
1 Window Frame.	2 Gates for Farm.	
1 Door and Frame—No. 1 Male Ward.	6 Mallets do.	
1 Wooden Trough—No. 2 do.	6 Rakes do.	

PAINTING.

Walls, Doors, &c., in Wards, Passages, &c.

WHITEWASHING.

Ceilings and Walls of the whole Building once, and in many parts much oftener.

GLAZING.

Putting in 199 Squares of Glass in the Wards,

DIETARY.

MALES.				FEMALES.		
DAYS.	BREAKFAST.	DINNER.	SUPPER.	BREAKFAST.	DINNER.	SUPPER.
MONDAY	1 Pint Coffee, 6 oz. Bread, and $\frac{1}{3}$ oz. Butter, or $1\frac{1}{2}$ Pint Milk Porridge, 6 oz. Bread.	$1\frac{1}{2}$ Pint Pea Soup, 6 oz. of Bread, and Half-Pint Beer.	1 Pint Tea or Coffee, 6 oz. Bread, and $\frac{1}{3}$ oz. Butter.	1 Pint Coffee, 6 oz. Bread, and $\frac{1}{3}$ oz. Butter, or $1\frac{1}{2}$ Pint Milk Porridge, 6 oz. Bread.	$1\frac{1}{2}$ Pint Pea Soup, 6 oz. of Bread, and Half-Pint Beer.	1 Pint Tea or Coffee, 6 oz. Bread, and $\frac{1}{3}$ oz. Butter.
TUESDAY	Ditto	Meat Pie and Potatoes, with Half-Pint Beer.	Ditto	Ditto	Meat Pie and Potatoes, with Half-Pint Beer.	Ditto
WEDNESDAY	Ditto	Roasted Meat (7 oz. uncooked, and free from Bone,) 1 lb. of Potatoes, 6 oz. Bread, and Half-Pint Beer.	Ditto	Ditto	Roasted Meat (6 oz. uncooked and free from Bone,) 1 lb. of Potatoes, 6 oz. Bread and Half-Pint Beer.	Ditto
THURSDAY ..	Ditto	Meat Pies and Potatoes, with Half-Pint Beer.	Ditto	Ditto	Meat Pies and Potatoes, with Half-Pint Beer.	Ditto
FRIDAY	Ditto	Boiled Meat (7 oz. uncooked, and free from Bone,) 1 lb. of Potatoes, 6 oz. Bread, and Half-Pint Beer.	Ditto	Ditto	Boiled Meat (6 oz. uncooked, and free from Bone,) 1 lb. of Potatoes, 6 oz. Bread, and Half-Pint Beer.	Ditto
SATURDAY ..	Ditto	$1\frac{1}{2}$ Pint Irish Stew and 6 oz. Bread, and Half-Pint Beer.	Ditto	Ditto	$1\frac{1}{2}$ Pint Irish Stew, and 6 oz. Bread, and Half-Pint Beer.	Ditto
SUNDAY	Ditto	Boiled Meat (7 oz. uncooked, and free from Bone,) 1 lb. of Potatoes, 6 oz. Bread, and Half-Pint Beer.	Ditto	Ditto	Boiled Meat (6 oz. uncooked, and free from Bone,) 1 lb. of Potatoes, 6 oz. Bread, and Half-Pint Beer.	Ditto

Luncheons of Bread and Cheese and Beer, with Tobacco, are allowed to those Patients who employ themselves.

ACCOUNT OF RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS,

WITH THE AVERAGE COST PER HEAD PER WEEK FOR MAINTENANCE FOR THE YEAR ENDING
31st DECEMBER, 1866.

Receipts.							Payments.						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
I.—FROM INTEREST ON MONIES INVESTED.							I.—MONIES INVESTED DURING THE YEAR.						
Nil.							Nil.						
II.—FROM SALES AND PRODUCE OF LABOUR.							II.—SALARIES AND WAGES.						
Produce of Farm , , ,	681	14	6				Superintendent at £400 with House, &c.	400	0	0			
Less by Payments by } Farm Bailiff , }	338	8	0				Chaplain at £80 , , ,	80	0	0			
Value of Produce sup- } plied to Asylum }	241	0	4				Clerk to the Visitors at £60 , , ,	60	0	0			
(A)	579	8	4				Clerk and Steward at £110 with Apart- ments and Board	110	0	0			
	102	6	2				House Surgeon at £85 do. , do.	81	5	0			
Gas supplied to Gaol , , ,	45	1	1				Matron at £50 do. , do.	50	0	0			
Old Lead, Iron, Bones, &c., &c.	34	2	3	181	9	6	MEN SERVANTS.						
III.—MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT.							1 Chief Attendant at £35, with Board and Lodging , , ,						
FROM UNIONS.							2 Attendants at £32 do. , do.						
1.—Alnwick Union , , ,	805	7	6				3 do. at £30 do. , do.	90	0	0			
2.—Belford do. , , ,	128	7	0				1 do. at £28 10s. do. , do.	28	10	0			
3.—Bellingham do. , , ,	217	0	8				3 do. at £25 do. , do.	53	5	9			
4.—Berwick do. , , ,	700	8	0				1 Tailor do. at £28 do. , do.	28	0	0			
5.—Castle Ward do. , , ,	553	8	5				1 Assistant do. at £30 do. , do.	30	0	0			
6.—Glendale do. , , ,	470	1	0				1 Shoemaker Attendant at £35 do. , do.	35	0	0			
Carried forward ,	2874	12	7	181	9	6	1 Assistant do. do. at £31 4s. do. , do.	13	4	0			
							1 Baker Attendant at £30 do. , do.	27	12	3			
							1 Brewer do. at £36 do. , do.	36	0	0			
							1 Porter do. at £28 do. , do.	28	0	0			
							1 Engineer at £78 with House, Coals, and Gas , , ,	78	0	0			
							1 Stoker at £46 16s. , , ,	46	16	0			
							1 Joiner at £40, with Board and Lodging , , ,						
							1 Plumber at £38 do. do. } Wages only } 1 Joiner (occasional) at 24s. } Paid by } B per week , } the 1 Woodman and Hedger } County at £44 4s. , , }						
							WOMEN SERVANTS.						
							1 Chief Attendant at £18, with Board and Lodging , , ,						
							1 Laundress at £20, do. , do.						
							1 Laundry Maid at £15 do. , do.						
							8 Attendants at £15 do. , do.						
							1 Cook at £18 do. , do.						
							1 Kitchen Maid at £10 do. , do.						
							2 House Maids at £10 do. , do.						
							1 do. at £9 do. , do.						
							1 Gate Keeper at £4 , , ,						
							284 Patients, Average Cost per head per week, 2s. 2d.						
							Carried forward ,						
							1599 16 10						
							1599 16 10						

(A) As a great part of the Farm Labour is performed by the Patients, it was agreed by the Committee that this Produce should be set against that Labour, and the Asylum and Farm treated as one concern.

(B) And (as in other Asylums) the Wages of those three Parties are paid by the County, being less costly to the County as Landlords than to employ Tradesmen. The Asylum gives Board and Lodging in consideration of occasional services as Assistant Attendants.

Receipts.							Payments.						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward	2874	12	7	181	9	6	Brought forward				1599	16	10
7.—Haltwhistle Union	100	8	10				III.—PROVISIONS.						
8.—Hexham do.	903	6	9				(Including all Diet except Wine, Spirits, and Porter.)						
9.—Morpeth do.	692	6	6				Meat 48,170 lbs.	1558	17	3			
10.—Newcastle-on-Tyne do.	25	17	1				Suet 246 lbs.	8	14	3			
11.—Rothbury do.	255	1	5				Bacon 238 lbs.	9	11	6			
12.—Tynemouth do.	1777	13	8				Flour 108,640 lbs.	696	0	0			
				6629	6	10	Oatmeal 1,960 lbs.	13	19	0			
FROM THE COUNTY.							Malt 1,008 Bushels	414	0	0			
1.—Lunatics having no Settlement	533	6	1				Hops 808 lbs.	67	6	8			
2.—Criminal Lunatics	103	8	4				Cheese 3,955 lbs.	117	5	1½			
				636	14	5	Butter 5,795 lbs.	336	5	5½			
FROM THE COUNTY OF BERWICK-UPON-TWEED.							Sugar 6,664 lbs.	114	9	0			
1.—Lunatics having no Settlement				51	14	2	Do. Lump 298 lbs.	6	16	7			
Carried forward				7499	4	11	Tea 1,194 lbs.	143	11	0			
							Coffee 2,388 lbs.	159	11	4			
							Tobacco 294 lbs.	53	11	0			
							Snuff 26 lbs.	5	4	0			
							Peas 1,792 lbs.	11	15	0			
							Rice 2,912 lbs.	22	15	0			
							Potatoes 23,662 lbs.	48	13	9			
							Sago and Barley 854 lbs.	9	14	0			
							Mustard and Pepper 176½ lbs.	12	10	6			
							Raisins and Currants 258½ lbs.	4	15	1			
							Salt 4,032 lbs.	4	1	0			
							Eggs 1,234	5	11	0			
							Groceries	9	2	2			
							Sundries	144	6	3			
							Average Cost per head per week 5s. 4½d.				3978	5	11
							IV.—WINE, SPIRITS, AND PORTER.						
							Wine and Spirits	71	1	0			
							Porter	17	14	0			
							Average Cost per head per week, 0s. 1¼d.				88	15	0
							V.—NECESSARIES AND FUEL, &c.						
							Coals 1,417 tons, 4 cwt.	483	8	6			
							Soap 7,840 lbs.	119	10	0			
							Starch 256 lbs.	6	8	0			
							Soda 2,514 lbs.	8	8	3			
							Blue 12 lbs.	1	0	0			
							Average Cost per head per week, 0s. 10½d.				618	14	9
							VI.—SURGERY AND DISPENSARY.						
							Drugs and Linseed Meal	99	17	0			
							Instruments	3	12	6			
							Average Cost per head per week, 0s. 1½d.				103	9	6
							VII.—CLOTHING.						
							Cloth (Woollen) 53 yards	23	12	6			
							Moleskin 400½ do.	74	11	0½			
							Canvas 164½ do.	7	9	0			
							Jean 245 do.	14	16	0½			
							Cotton Print 8 do.	0	7	2			
							Tartan 320½ do.	19	19	10½			
							Calico (Grey) 1,544½ do.	79	6	11			
							Do. (Twilled) 688 do.	34	16	4½			
							Flannel 1,201¾ do.	98	2	11½			
							Do. (Twilled) 185½ do.	18	11	0			
							Linsey (Striped) 342 do.	37	15	3			
							Winsey 461¾ do.	38	15	5			
							Linen (Aprons) 568½ do.	33	3	3			
							Calico (Striped) 977¾ do.	45	14	10			
							Gingham 36 do.	1	13	9			
							Webbing for Braces 144 do.	2	0	0			
							Handkerchiefs 288 do.	4	16	0			
							Neckerchiefs 288	10	4	0			
							Scarfs (Men's) 36	3	3	0			
							Worsted 210½ lbs.	37	7	8			
							Leather 796½ lbs.	75	19	11			
							Shoes 72 pairs	12	5	9			
							Carried forward	674	11	8½	6389	2	0

Receipts.							Payments.						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward ,				7499	4	11	Brought forward ,	674	11	8½	6389	2	0
IV.—FROM COUNTY AND BOROUGH TREASURERS FOR REPAIRS, &c.							Stockings 84 pairs , ,	7	0	0			
Nil.							Pattens 24 do. , ,	1	12	0			
V.—FROM VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS.							Bonnets 144 , ,	7	4	0			
Nil.							Sundries , , ,	35	16	1½			
VI.—MISCELLANEOUS.							Average Cost per head per week 0s. 11⅞d.				726	3	10
REPAYMENT OF FUNERAL EXPENSES.							VIII.—FURNITURE AND BEDDING.						
Alnwick Union , ,	6	0	0				Furniture and Bedding , ,	407	9	2			
Belford do. , ,	2	0	0				Crockery Ware , ,	26	19	11			
Berwick do. , ,	4	0	0				Brushes , , ,	27	3	7			
Castle Ward do. , ,	4	0	0				Average Cost per head per week, 0s. 7¼d.				461	12	8
Gleudale do. , ,	4	0	0				IX.—FUNERAL EXPENSES.						
Haltwhistle do. , ,	2	0	0				Funerals , , , ,				42	0	0
Hexham do. , ,	6	0	0				Average Cost per head per week, 0s. 0⅝d.						
Morpeth do. , ,	2	0	0				X.—BUILDING AND REPAIRS.						
Tynemouth do. , ,	12	0	0				Nil.						
TOTAL ,				42	0	0	XI.—GARDEN AND FARM.						
				7541	4	11	Wages , , ,	29	15	0			
							Rates and Taxes , , ,	22	18	4			
							Garden Seeds , , ,	3	18	9			
							Guano , , ,	7	9	2			
							1 Milch Cow , , ,	21	0	0			
							Average Cost per head per week, 0s. 1¾d.				85	1	3
							XII.—RENT OF LAND, RATES, TAXES, AND INSURANCE.						
							Property Tax , , ,				7	5	1
							Average Cost per head per week, 0s. 0⅛d.						
							XIII.—MISCELLANEOUS.						
							Postage and Receipt Stamps , ,	10	11	0			
							Railway Company, Carriage of Goods ,	5	13	9			
							Travelling Expenses , ,	8	6	2			
							Sundries , , ,	35	15	2			
							Average Cost per head per week, 0s. 1d.				60	6	1
							TOTAL ,				7771	10	11

SUMMARY OF THE COST PER HEAD PER WEEK

FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1866.

		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1	Money invested during the year	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	Salaries and Wages	1599	16	10	0	2	2
3	Provisions	3978	5	11	0	5	4 ⁵ / ₈
4	Wine, Spirits, and Porter	88	15	0	0	0	1 ³ / ₄
5	Necessaries, Fuel, Light, Washing, &c.	618	14	9	0	0	10 ¹ / ₈
6	Surgery and Dispensary	103	9	6	0	0	1 ¹ / ₂
7	Clothing	726	3	10	0	0	11 ⁶ / ₈
8	Furniture and Bedding	461	12	8	0	0	7 ⁴ / ₈
9	Funeral Expenses, (Repaid by Unions)	..	..	..	..	..	..
10	Tenant's Repairs	..	..	..	..	..	..
11	Garden and Farm	85	1	3	0	0	1 ³ / ₈
12	Rent of Land, Taxes, and Insurance	7	5	1	0	0	0 ¹ / ₈
13	Miscellaneous	60	6	1	0	0	1
		7729	10	11	0	10	5 ⁵ / ₈
	Less Receipts from Sales	181	9	6	0	0	2 ⁷ / ₈
		7548	1	5	0	10	2 ⁶ / ₈

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